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WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2024



22ND SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

“Nothing that enters one
from outside can defile
that person; but the
things that come out from
within are what defile.”
- Mk 7:15

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SCHEDULE

MASSES

Saturday Vigil | 5 pm

Sunday | 8 am, 10 am (Live Streamed),
12 pm

Daily Mass Monday–Friday | 9 am

PERSONAL PRAYER

Monday-Friday in Church | 9am - 4pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 3 - 4 pm or call for an
appointment.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays from 9:30 am - 4 pm in the Church

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Fr. Michael Radermacher



Monica, we pray for our children to return to the practice of their Catholic faith, and for our children to always stay close to their faith.

Join us at St. Charles Borromeo Church on Thursdays at 12:30-1:30 pm to pray for our children.

Corpus Christi Flags
For anyone who lent a flag for the Corpus Christi procession, the flags are now available to pick up in the Parish Office.



We would like to invite you to St. Teresa of Calcutta Thursday, September 12th for an evening with Catholic Apologist Trent Horn. Trent is an internationally known speaker and author who recently spoke at the Eucharistic Congress. He will be presenting:

“THE BEGINNERS GUIDE TO DEFENDING YOUR FAITH”

Trent shows that you do not need all the right answers – you just need the right questions and the right attitudes, in order to share the Catholic faith with anyone.

The event is free and open to the public so bring a friend. We are expecting a large turnout, so due to limited seating RSVP is required. Register at: <https://www.catholic.com/e/876881/goto-forms-3482-responses-new/31pj5yq/2215116333/h/QDDuZjznMZvgF-i0pC8K0yJxJ0Z5aEegArMn6KSeXMQ> to reserve your seat.

There will be refreshments and Trent will be signing books at a meet and greet after his presentation.

See you there!

From Our Outreach Ministry

BUNDLES OF JOY QUILT CLUB

Join in this wonderful ministry as they make baby quilts to encourage mothers who choose life and to support families in need, donating over 100 baby quilts each year. Come once or come regularly - no experience or special equipment is needed, everything is provided. All are welcome!

The Quilt Club meets the **first and third Saturdays of each month from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Convent** located behind the school. Be a part of their amazing work next on **Saturday, September 7 & 21**. Contact Lois McNeil at 206-724-1240 for questions and information.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We're looking to form an "on-call" group of volunteers to accompany Fr. Marc to safely make house calls for anointings, confessions, etc. Days and times would vary. If this is something you would be interested in, please contact Jessica at jquan@stcharlesb.org or 253-564-5185 ext. 3013.

Catechesis of Good Shepherd

We are now accepting registrations for the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level I for the year 2024-2025. They will take place in the Atrium (Parish Center) on Tuesday afternoons from 3:30-5:30 pm and will start on October 1, 2024. Registration forms will be available this Sunday, August 25 in the vestibule. Or you can call me, Debs at 253-564-5185 x3047 to register.

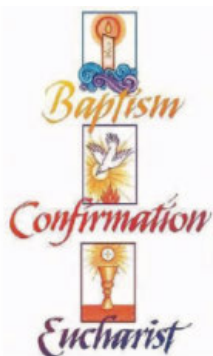


Infant Baptism (ages 0-6 years)

Families, don't book your relatives' tickets just yet!

Many parents have been scheduling their child's baptism before they have even met with me, only to be informed that the date they have chosen is not the date the baptisms have been scheduled at a Mass. Then they are disappointed.

Our next Parent Baptism Preparation session will take place on Monday, September 9, 2024 from 7-8:30 pm in the parish center. Please register by 10:00 am that morning. If you are planning to have your child baptized in October, November, or December, make sure to register to attend by emailing me, Debs at dpokos@stcharlesb.org.



Initiation Ministry

If you have a child between the ages of 7-14 years of age that desires baptism, please contact me, Debs Pokos at dpokos@stcharlesb.org or 253-564-5185. When we have a child between those ages, the child is prepared to receive all 3 Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil: Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. We plan to start in the beginning of October.

SCB ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

If you know someone in our parish or in the community within our parish boundaries that needs help for resources and/or referrals, please have them call our number and leave a message. The phone number for the SVdP Help Line is **253-426-3977**. Parishioners also may use this number to ask questions or to speak to one of our officers.

Our next meeting will be **Sunday, September 8 at 11:15 a.m. in the Parish Center, classroom 8B** if you wish to join and learn more. Thank you for the help and support you are continually providing. God bless you and your families.

NEXT WEEKEND IS WELCOME WEEKEND

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a registered member of our parish, please stop by the Welcome Table after all Masses next weekend, September 7 & 8, to pick up a gift bag and a registration form. Hospitality ministers will be available to answer questions.



DIGNITY FOR HUMAN LIFE

Spiritual Adoption - Month 7

Our babies are now in their 7th month of development: 3rd trimester of pregnancy (28-31 weeks). They are about 14-17 inches long and weigh between 2.5-4.5 lbs. Our babies are adding weight quickly, their heads are growing to make room for their developing brains, and they are kicking and getting hiccups. Moms are feeling more fatigue and experiencing more physical and emotional stress as the due date nears.

Please keep praying, every day, for Moms, Dads and babies!

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.

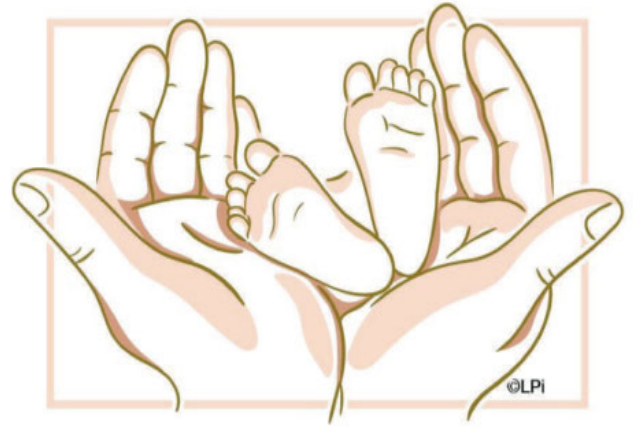
40 DAYS FOR LIFE FALL CAMPAIGN - TACOMA VIGIL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Mark your calendars and consider joining a peaceful, prayerful witness! The Fall Campaign runs September 25- November 3. This is a six-week period of prayer, fasting and witnessing to the dignity of human life. Volunteers only need to show up and pray for 6 sessions (1x/week for six weeks). For more information or to sign-up: Contact Tammy 253.514.0415, Amy 253.861.6936, or George 253.961.5822.

* Save the Date for the kick-off party on Saturday, Sept 14 from 1-3pm at St. Charles Parish Unity Center.

PREGNANCY AID OF TACOMA

Pregnancy Aid serves the well-being of families with children in & beyond the womb by providing material and emotional support. At this time, we are looking for sub volunteers. We are low or out of the following items: baby wipes, size NB, 5-6 diapers and Pull-Ups, preemie clothing, toddler clothing up to 5T, toys, and monetary donations. We are open M, W, & Sat. @902 Market St. in Tacoma, from 10-1:30pm. Please call ahead (253-383-4100)



LOCAL PREGNANCY RESOURCE LOCAL PREGNANCY RESOURCE CONTACTS

Please help women, men and families choose life and find life-affirming Pregnancy Resources.

St. Charles' Gabriel Project

Karol @ 253-307-8542

Pregnancy Aid of Tacoma

253-383-4100

Facebook: Pregnancy & Family AID or Pierce & Outskirts pregnancyaidwa.org

Our Lady of Guadalupe Maternity Center

253-582-3384. Located in Lakewood.

Open Mondays and Fridays, 10am-noon.

PREPARES of Western WA

206-737-9264

preparesforlife.org

CareNet Pregnancy Services

253-383-2988 (Tacoma)

253-984-6222 (Lakewood)

care-net.org

Next Chapter of WA (housing & support services)

253-310-6290

nextchapterwa.org

PROJECT RACHEL

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Are you struggling due to involvement with abortion?

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From our Religious Ed Ministry

FAITH FORMATION- A Family of Faith:

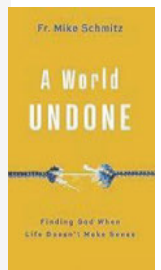
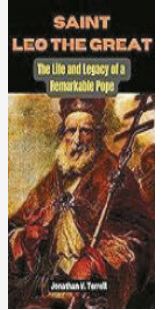
In our parish family, at the St. Charles campus, we will be using A Family of Faith program by Sophia press for formation for families with children in Pre-K to 8th grade. This year's topic is Sacraments. Classes will resume **September 15. Registrations are on going.** Forms can be downloaded from our website at www.saintcharlesb.weebly.com Please try to **turn in forms by September 10th.** Previously registered families should have received information in the mail. Our program is family based with some learning at home and some for both parents and children here on campus. We meet from 11:15 to 12:15 in Feist Hall on selected Sundays. .

Additional information on Faith Formation opportunities, parish events and interesting videos can be found on our website listed above.

BOOK CLUB BOOK for September at St. Charles Campus

This month we will be learning more about the saint, St. Leo the Great. The patron of our sister parish. Since it is a short read we will also explore Fr. Mike Schmitz's new book, A world **UNDONE**, also a short read. **Join us Wednesday, September 25, 2024 at 5:30 in the Parish Center Parlor** to discuss these little gems. We will learn about the life and legacy of a remarkable Pope in the St. Leo Book. Then in A World Undone, through thoughtful reflection questions and end of chapter challenges, we will explore the idea of finding God when life doesn't make sense.

Copies are available in the parish office. Suggested contribution of \$10, for both books, a two for one deal. Call Jodie Clark for more information at 253.564.5185 Ext: 3036 or email at jclark@stcharlesb.org



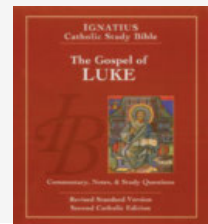
NEW BIBLE STUDIES PSALMS-THE SCHOOL OF PRAYER

At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms, prayers from God that help us learn to pray. The Holy Spirit inspired them. Israel sang them. Christ himself prayed them, as did our Blessed Mother. These sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God's loving and wondrous deeds for us. Their words captivate the imagination and draw us into a deeply personal encounter with God.

St Charles will begin an eleven-week Bible study Psalms: The School of Prayer on Wednesdays, beginning September 11, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. in the Parish Center. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register, contact Jodie Clark at 253.564.5185 Ext. 3036 or jclark@stcharlesb.org. A suggested freewill contribution of \$20 is asked if you are able, but should not deter you from participating. Join us to study how to establish a deeply personal dialogue with God through the Psalms.

The Gospel of Luke

Come learn about this Gentile turned saint who wrote more of the New Testament than any other author. He Was a Leader in the Church and Evangelist in His Own Right. Join us on the St. Charles campus for an **18 week study** that will meet **Mondays, beginning September 9th, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.** in the **Parish Center.** Again, please contact Jodie to register or if you have any questions.



Our next Mass of the Faithful Departed will be Saturday, September 7th at 9:00 a.m.

"The grace of mutual love among the living, strengthened and increased by the Sacrament of the Eucharist, flows, especially by virtue of the Sacrifice of the Mass, to all who belong to the communion of saints." Pope Leo XIII, Mirae Caritatis

Those who have died as believers in Christ are described as the faithful departed. Here at Saint Charles Borromeo, we celebrate a mass for all the faithful departed on the first Saturday of the month. We pray in a special way for those who have had their funeral services here at Saint Charles Borromeo on the 3rd month, 6th month and year anniversary of their death up to five years. We also include names of those who have died who are remembered by members of our parish community. Names can be added to the list of the faithful departed by calling Kellie Guerrero at 564-5185, ext. 3029.



THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY SEPTEMBER 2ND IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY.



GOD'S BLESSING TO OUR STUDENTS, FACULTY AND SCHOOL OFFICE STAFF FOR A GREAT SCHOOL YEAR.

MASS TIME CHANGE

Beginning on Sunday September 8th, the noon mass will begin at 12:30 pm.

SERVING GOD AND HIS PEOPLE AT MASS

Our parish offers many opportunities to serve God and others at Mass.

Please prayerfully consider becoming a Greeter, Usher or Eucharistic Minister. Call Lynda at the parish office for information or to sign up. 253-564-5185 Ext 3025 or email lsandschulte@stcharlesb.org.



LAWNCHAIR MOVIE NIGHTS

WITH FR. MICHAEL

IN THE COURTYARD

AUGUST 31

STARTS AT 9PM

BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR,
SNACKS, BLANKETS AND HAVE FUN!





Pray, Fast, Vigil, Vote Tacoma 40 Days for Life 2024 Fall Kick-off!

We are going to be having an amazing Fall Campaign Kickoff on
Saturday, September 14th from 1pm - 3pm
St. Charles Parish Hall - Unity Center (*new location)

A few things to look forward to...

fellowship... speakers... a light lunch games and giveaways.....

Sidewalk University Graduation..... (more on this later 😊)

Centerpiece for "Life" contest.....

inspiration... encouragement and Prayer

We are so blessed to have our very own Washington State Leader from Lynnwood as our speaker! Rebecca is the voice and a fierce defender of Life at Sacred Heart Radio and on the sidewalk as the Leader of the Lynnwood Vigil. Rebecca attended the 2024 40 DFL Symposium in Nashville and has generously offered to share this vital information with us.

Now is the time, prayers! If we have ever needed to pull together, pray together, break bread with one another, that time is Now.

Let us bind together in thought, deed and purpose for this most vital call to worship and serve our good and loving God.



Each and every one of you is so important to us.

We Can't wait to see you at the Kick-off



*****PLEASE e-RSVP or Call*****
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Godspeed, Tammy 253.514.0415, Amy Gallwas 253.861.6936, George 253.961.5822

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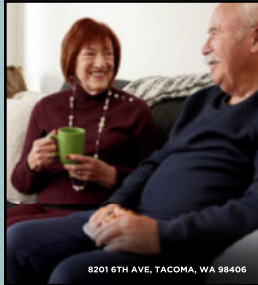
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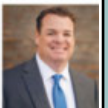
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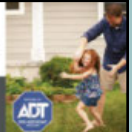
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